



## LeRoy Edmund Collins

August 20, 1931 - May 23, 2020

LeRoy Edmund Collins, 88, of Steeple Chase, Oxford, Florida, went to be with the Lord, Saturday, May 23, 2020. LeRoy (Roy) was born in Providence, RI to Charles Benjamin Collins and Marie Isabel (Garland) Collins. He is survived by his loving wife, Mary Monica Collins, of 68 years; son, Roy Collins (Nova) of Georgia; and son John Collins (Lorraine) of Rhode Island and daughter Therese Shelesky (Steve) of Colorado. Roy is a "Grandfather of 5" and a "Great Grandfather of 4". Roy was preceded in death by his parents and one sister and two brothers.

Roy attended St. Michaels School in Rhode Island and joined the Army to serve our country. When he returned from his military duty Roy was a lead man (supervisor) over machine operations for Tower Iron Works in Rhode Island. He also worked for and retired from Bulova Watch Company in Rhode Island.

Roy loved all sports and enjoyed playing softball. He had a loved for billiards and enjoyed playing with his close friend of many years in The Villages, Tony DiNicola. Roy also enjoyed traveling to visit family in Chicago and taking many trips to various places with friends. Roy had a kind spirit and he and Mary enjoyed life together.

Roy was a man of strong Christian faith and looked forward to eternal life with

The Father and Jesus. He was a member of Fairway Christian Church and loved coming there to hear God's message and the worship music.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made in Roy's name to your favorite charity. A memorial service will be held at 11:00am, Saturday, June 13, 2020, at Beyers Funeral Home in Lady Lake with limited invitations.

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL. Online condolences may be left at [www.BeyersFuneralHome.com](http://www.BeyersFuneralHome.com)

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“*Mary, my sympathy and prayers are with you and your family. I pray God will hold you close and grant you comfort and peace as you grieve the loss of Roy.*”

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